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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7044

BILL NUMBER: HB 1391

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 1, 2009

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Public School Transfers.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Moseley

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State & Local

Summary of Legislation: This bill permits a school corporation to accept a request of a student or the student's parents for a transfer of the student from another school corporation without the approval of the other school corporation only if the transfer will meet the standards established by the State Board of Education.

Effective Date: Upon passage.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The State Board of Education could incur some cost with the adoption of transfer standards, but the additional cost would probably be minor and be funded within the existing appropriation.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues: The bill would add an additional requirement for a school to accept the transfer of a student. The impact would depend on the standards the State Board of Education might establish on the acceptance of transferring students where the parent pays tuition. The bill could reduce the number of cash transfers, a transfer where the parent pays the transfer tuition costs, a school might accept during a school year.

State Agencies Affected: State Board of Education.

Local Agencies Affected: Local schools.

Information Sources:

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